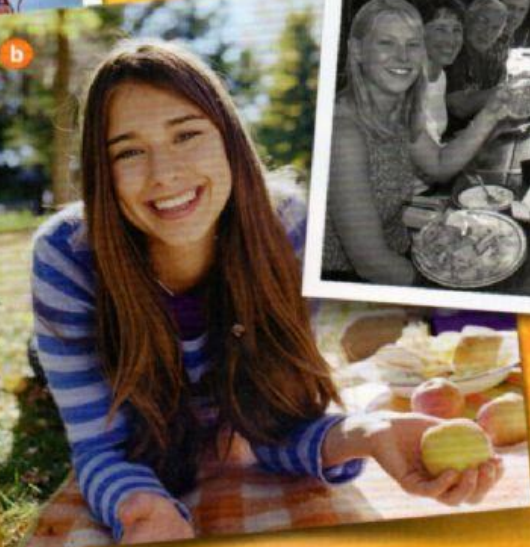


# 4 MEMORIES

**Objectives:** Listen, read, talk and write about memories; learn about the Past Simple.



b



c



## TOPIC TALK

- 1 Work in pairs. Look at the dates in the network. Tell your partner the dates of the birthdays below.

*My birthday is on the fifteenth of May.*

- your birthday
- your parents' birthdays
- your best friend's birthday

- 2 2.1 2.2 Listen to three descriptions of birthdays (1-3). Match them with the photos (a-c).

- 3 2.3 2.4 Listen again to the first person. Complete the information in the network.

- 4 2.5 Pronunciation Listen and write down the dates. Then listen again and repeat them.

*5 February 1999*

### LANGUAGE CHOICE 31: VOCABULARY PRACTICE

- 5 Work in pairs. Use the network to talk about your birthday memories.

## Birthday memories

My birthday is on <sup>1</sup> 22 July.

My earliest birthday memory is my <sup>2</sup> fourth/fifth/sixth birthday <sup>3</sup> \_\_\_\_\_.

My best birthday ever was <sup>4</sup> \_\_\_\_\_.

There was a <sup>5</sup> lunch at a restaurant/party on the beach/picnic in the country with my <sup>6</sup> family/friends/girlfriend/boyfriend.

The <sup>7</sup> food/music/dancing was great!

### Dates

the first of January, the second of February, the third of March, the fourth of April, the fifth of May, the sixth of June, the eleventh of July, the twelfth of August, the sixteenth of September, the twentieth of October, the twenty-second of November, the thirty-first of December

in 1999 (nineteen ninety-nine), 2004 (two thousand and four), 2007 (two thousand and seven), 2012 (twenty twelve)

last month/August/year/summer,  
a year ago, two years ago